IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA BEAUFORT DIVISION

| Selena Nelson, |) | C/A No.: 9:18-cv-2962 DCN |
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| Plaintiff, |) | |
| |) | ORDER |
| -VS- |) | |
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| Beaufort County Sheriff's Office; |) | |
| Lieutenant Brian Baird and Sheriff P.J. |) | |
| Tanner, individual and in their official |) | |
| capacities, |) | |
| |) | |
| Defendants. |) | |
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The above referenced case is before this court upon the magistrate judge's recommendation that defendants' motion for summary judgment be granted.

This court is charged with conducting a <u>de novo</u> review of any portion of the magistrate judge's report to which a specific objection is registered, and may accept, reject, or modify, in whole or in part, the recommendations contained in that report. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1). However, absent prompt objection by a dissatisfied party, it appears that Congress did not intend for the district court to review the factual and legal conclusions of the magistrate judge. <u>Thomas v Arn</u>, 474 U.S. 140 (1985). Additionally, any party who fails to file timely, written objections to the magistrate judge's report pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) waives the right to raise those objections at the appellate court level. <u>United States v. Schronce</u>, 727 F.2d 91 (4th Cir. 1984), cert. denied, 467 U.S. 1208 (1984). On December 7, 2021, plaintiff filed a motion for

¹In <u>Wright v. Collins</u>, 766 F.2d 841 (4th Cir. 1985), the court held "that a <u>pro se</u> litigant must receive fair notification of the <u>consequences</u> of failure to object to a magistrate judge's report before such a procedural default will result in waiver of the right to appeal. The notice must be 'sufficiently understandable to one in appellant's circumstances fairly to appraise him of what is required." <u>Id.</u> at 846. Plaintiff was advised in a clear manner that his objections had

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extension of time to file objections. Plaintiff was granted a new deadline of January 6, 2022.

As of the date of this order, no objections have been filed to the magistrate judge's report

and recommendation, nor has additional time been requested.

A <u>de novo</u> review of the record indicates that the magistrate judge's report accurately

summarizes this case and the applicable law. Accordingly, the magistrate judge's report and

recommendation is AFFIRMED, and incorporated into this order. For reasons articulated by the

magistrate judge, defendants' motion for summary judgment is GRANTED.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.

David C. Norton

United States District Judge

February 10, 2022 Charleston, South Carolina

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL

The parties are hereby notified that any right to appeal this Order is governed by Rules 3 and 4 of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure.